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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION

Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application under 37 CFR 1.53(b), mailed August 6, 2004 (a copy of which is enclosed), Applicant(s) submit herewith the following:

- 1. an executed Declaration and Power of Attorney making reference to the above-identified application, and in compliance with 37 C.F.R. 1.63;
- Applicant(s) Claim Small Entity Status; and
- a Preliminary Amendment.

If any fee is required, the undersigned attorney hereby authorizes the Patent Office to charge such additional fee to Deposit Account 50-3355

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